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DISPATCH NO. MAV-W-45

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TO : Chief of Station Vienna
 FROM : [] [] 10

DATE: 23 June 1947

SUBJECT: GENERAL -
SPECIFIC: **Zoltan FUCHS & DALI.**

1. Reference is made to VIEN 377 (Washington IN Cable 16637) and VIEN 378 (Washington IN Cable 16677) of June 20 and 19, respectively, and to cable replies (numbers not yet known) of this morning.

2. We could find no definite trace of the subject under his name, or under his alias. The Roumanian records have a trace on one Ioni FUCHS, Volkshautsche Police Commissar II at Iasi (Rumania) in 1943. This is noted because of the possibility of similarity with one of the brothers living in Roumania. Obviously, however, a name like FUCHS is too common for these bits to have much significance.

3. The Czechoslovakian records here have information on one FUCHS, Obersturmführer u Kriminal Kommissar; in July 1942; he was Leiter Gestapo České Budějovice (Budweis), RSHA, Amt IV. He is mentioned in the Czech Primer, and also in the interrogation of Joseph MATSCHIN as an official of Czech Protectorate Criminal Police, Prague, investigating the illegal activities of clubs and organizations; attached to Amt. IV B.

4. This same Oberstarbuhner FUGHE is described as follows:

He was about 55 (in 1946); ht. 1.80;
of strong build;
Has black hair, parted on side;
Wears black horn-rimmed glasses;
Has an oval face, pointed nose;
Has normal walk; voice is rather high-pitched;
He was formerly head of Jewish Department of
Gestapo in Prague, then became chief of ABT II B
in Stapselitzstrasse Prague.

5. This information on the Czechoslovakian FUCHS is passed on to you because your FUCHS is a permanent residence there, and because his description is fairly similar to that of your FUCHS in para. 15 of VIEN 377 (IN 14057) - and, again, that is about as remote a possibility as the similarity of names. The section most concerned here would be extremely interested in a report on FUCHS's period of employment (January 1945 thru June 1946) with the

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the NKVD. They would like precise information on the structure of the organization and units for which he worked, the exact scope of duties of personnel, and names, ranks and known positions of the Soviets with whom he worked. This report need not be long and need not be his own narrative, so long as it contains the concise facts and observations. Such a report will be useful in confirming and supplementing our existing records on the type of NKVD unit for which he worked, and will also serve as a means of substantiating his claim of having worked for them.

6. There is apparently nothing to be lost in permitting this man to attempt to obtain information on the R.I.S. for us if he appears satisfactory to you all in the field, and we hope that it will be a successful try.

7. With regard to para.2 of VIEN 378 (IN 16677), we have to remind you that headquarters can make no promises at this end in the direction of obtaining assistance in the emigration of subject to the United States or South America, but the writer knows you are aware of that, and the indication that he hopes to obtain such assistance explains the motive in working for us.

8. Regarding para.3 of VIEN 378 (IN 16677), no check has yet been made of the relatives presently living in the United States. Since one relative has already sent an affidavit of support for the subject and his wife, it is believed that a check can consequently be made without producing unexpected curiosity. As, if, and when a check is made, we will let you know the results.

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